

The Federal Communications Commission

Dear The Federal Communications Commission,

I do not want to pay more for my telephone service! I urge you to reject the flat fee proposal that will change how contributions are made to the Universal Service Fund & will make my current service unaffordable.

Under the flat fee proposal you are considering, I, who make only 2-3 long distance calls per month, would pay the same as businesses or individuals who make hundreds or thousands of calls per month. In other words, low-volume and primarily residential customers will bear the same universal service fund burden as high-volume residential or business customers. This is outrageous!

I use my wireless phone only for safety and security, rarely even for convenience. I and many others like me will have to do without the safety benefits of cell phones if you resolve that we must begin to share the costs of big businesses' heavy phone usage. Please consider the widespread result of your decision and reject the proposal to move the USF collection system to a flat-fee.

Keep the USF Fair! The fees should be simply prorated and paid according to use.

Sincerely,

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